



2831

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

#16/Response
D. EVANS
5.30.03

In re application of
Ferdinand GROGL, et al.

Docket No: Q63846

Appln. No.: 09/915,528

Group Art Unit: 2831

Confirmation No.: 7040

Examiner: Chau M. NGUYEN

Filed: July 27, 2001

For: CABLE WITH AT LEAST ONE TRANSMISSION ELEMENT

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

MAY 29 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 27, 2003, please consider the following remarks:

REMARKS

Summary Of The Office Action & Formalities

Claims 1-9 are all the claims pending in the application.

Applicants thank the Examiner for initialing the references listed on form PTO-1449 submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement filed on December 31, 2002.

The prior art rejections are summarized as follows:

1. Claims 1-3, 8 and 9 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wargotz, et al. (USP 3,852,518) in view of McGregor, et al. (USP 6,403,890).